

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH**

**T.A. No.653 of 2014**

**Date of Decision : March 23rd, 2015**

Pooja ..... Petitioner.

Versus

Rajesh Kumar ..... Respondent.

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DR. BHARAT BHUSHAN PARSOON.**

Present:- Mr. N.R. Dahia, Advocate for the petitioner.

None for the respondent.

**Dr. Bharat Bhushan Parsoon, J [Oral]**

There is no appearance on behalf of the respondent-husband despite service through his father. He is, thus, proceeded against ex-parte.

Counsel for the wife, petitioner herein, seeks transfer of petition under Section 13 of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 (for short, the Act) filed by the husband, respondent herein, from Panipat to Bhiwani as the petitioner is residing at her parental home alongwith two minor children i.e. a son born on 24.6.2012 and a daughter born on 9.11.2013, at Bhiwani. It is claimed that distance between two cities is approximately 130 Kms. and it is very difficult for the petitioner-wife to manage and pursue the proceedings competently and effectively in the petition filed under Section 13 of the Act at Panipat by travelling from Bhiwani to attend the dates of hearing in the said petition.

It is also urged that the petitioner-wife has filed a complaint under Section 12 of the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005 and has also got registered an FIR No.288 dated 12.5.2014 inter alia under Section 498-A IPC against the respondent-husband at Bhiwani.

In view of the submissions made by counsel for the petitioner as also the circumstances explained in the petition, the request is allowed.

Sequely, the petition under Section 13 of the Act pending before Additional District Judge, Panipat is transferred to District Judge, Family Court, Bhiwani. Both the concerned Courts to comply.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

Copy Dasti on usual charges.

**(Dr. BHARAT BHUSHAN PARSOON)**  
**JUDGE**

**March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2015**  
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